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- 1. At Burgas there are now the 24th Infantry Regiment, with the and artillery regiment; a section of coastal artillery; a naval command and its units.
- 2. There are both Soviet and Bulgarian troops at Yambol. The Bulgarian forms tions consist of an artillery regiment and an infantry regiment. Near the town there is a large exercise area used in the summer. There is continual air activity at the airfield, with both Soviet and Bulgarian planes holding exercises. The Soviet troops consist of two armored battalions and some air troops.

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3. At Berkovitsa there is an artillery regiment with the a rifle battalion in the same barracks.

and

- An artillery regiment has been moved to Stalin, formerly Varna.
- There are not many Soviet soldiers in Sofia, but it is the seat of a high Soviet command.

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